

Remarks

In the Office Action dated September 18, 2006, the Examiner made the Restriction Requirement to Invention I, corresponding to claims 32-46 and Invention II, corresponding to claims 47-52. Claims 32-46 are pending. Claims 47-52 have been withdrawn. Applicant elects to prosecute Invention I without traverse.

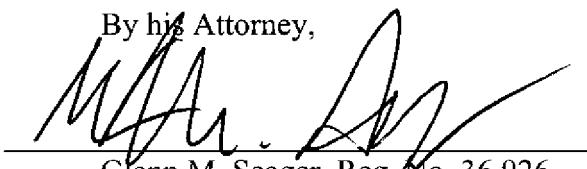
Reexamination and reconsideration are respectfully requested. It is respectfully submitted that the claims are now in condition for allowance, issuance of a Notice of Allowance in due course is requested. If a telephone conference might be of assistance, please contact the undersigned attorney at (612) 677-9050.

Respectfully submitted,

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